

## Mother Talked About Family Medical History Before Pregnant\*

2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

| Demographic Groups     |               | No          |                    | Yes         |                    |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|
|                        | Population    | %           | CI                 | %           | CI                 |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>12,692</b> | <b>56.9</b> | <b>52.5 - 61.2</b> | <b>43.1</b> | <b>38.8 - 47.5</b> |
| <b>Age</b>             |               |             |                    |             |                    |
| <20 years              | 799           | 60.4        | 43.0 - 75.5        | 39.6        | 24.5 - 57.0        |
| 20-24 years            | 2,971         | 70.9        | 62.3 - 78.2        | 29.1        | 21.8 - 37.7        |
| 25-34 years            | 7,233         | 51.5        | 45.6 - 57.3        | 48.6        | 42.7 - 54.4        |
| 35+ years              | 1,689         | 50.8        | 38.3 - 63.2        | 49.2        | 36.8 - 61.7        |
| <b>Mother's Race</b>   |               |             |                    |             |                    |
| White                  | 11,875        | 57.6        | 53.1 - 62.0        | 42.4        | 38.0 - 46.9        |
| Black                  | 414           | #           | # - #              | #           | # - #              |
| Other                  | 390           | 0.0         | 0.0 - 0.0          | 0.0         | 0.0 - 0.0          |
| <b>Hispanic Origin</b> |               |             |                    |             |                    |
| No                     | 12,481^       | 57.1        | 52.6 - 61.4        | 42.9        | 38.6 - 47.4        |
| Yes                    | 202^          | #           | # - #              | #           | # - #              |
| <b>Education</b>       |               |             |                    |             |                    |
| < High School          | 1,225         | 56.6        | 41.8 - 70.3        | 43.4        | 29.7 - 58.2        |
| High School            | 4,005         | 61.1        | 53.2 - 68.4        | 38.9        | 31.6 - 46.8        |
| > High School          | 7,396         | 54.3        | 48.6 - 60.0        | 45.7        | 40.0 - 51.4        |
| <b>Marital Status</b>  |               |             |                    |             |                    |
| Married                | 7,403         | 53.9        | 48.1 - 59.6        | 46.1        | 40.4 - 51.9        |
| Not Married            | 5,289         | 60.3        | 53.5 - 66.7        | 39.7        | 33.3 - 46.5        |
| <b>Income</b>          |               |             |                    |             |                    |
| \$14,999 or less       | 3,749**       | 56.6        | 48.2 - 64.6        | 43.4        | 35.4 - 51.8        |
| \$15,000-24,999        | 1,942**       | 59.1        | 47.9 - 69.5        | 40.9        | 30.5 - 52.1        |
| \$25,000-49,999        | 2,395**       | 58.8        | 48.9 - 68.1        | 41.2        | 31.9 - 51.1        |
| \$50,000 or more       | 3,583**       | 54.0        | 46.1 - 61.6        | 46.1        | 38.4 - 53.9        |

|                                       |         |      |             |      |             |  |
|---------------------------------------|---------|------|-------------|------|-------------|--|
| <b>Enrolled in WIC</b>                |         |      |             |      |             |  |
| <b>No</b>                             | 6,668** | 55.7 | 49.8 - 61.4 | 44.3 | 38.6 - 50.2 |  |
| <b>Yes</b>                            | 5,439** | 58.6 | 51.8 - 65.2 | 41.4 | 34.9 - 48.2 |  |
| <b>Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid</b> |         |      |             |      |             |  |
| <b>No</b>                             | 5,080** | 51.4 | 44.8 - 57.9 | 48.6 | 42.1 - 55.2 |  |
| <b>Yes</b>                            | 7,170** | 60.9 | 54.9 - 66.5 | 39.1 | 33.5 - 45.1 |  |
| <b>Infant's birth weight</b>          |         |      |             |      |             |  |
| <b>&lt;2500 grams</b>                 | 848     | 55.9 | 50.5 - 61.1 | 44.1 | 38.9 - 49.5 |  |
| <b>2500 grams or more</b>             | 11,838  | 56.9 | 52.3 - 61.5 | 43.1 | 38.5 - 47.7 |  |

**NOTES:**

Population size for groups giving birth in Maine are taken from the Maine Vital Statistics System unless otherwise noted.

Unknowns are excluded from all tabulations.

\* *Survey Question 7g: During the 12 months before you got pregnant with your new baby, did you visit a healthcare worker to talk about your family medical history?*

\*\* Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.

^ Estimate of Hispanic population giving birth in Maine is taken from the 2012 birth file.

# There were fewer than 10 survey respondents to this question. Data may be unreliable for describing this group, therefore percent is not reported.

CI = 95% Confidence Interval

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